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## CROTHERSVILLE

Its Founding And Growth as Told by Early Residents.

The town of Crothersville has an interesting history. Its pioneers passed through many of the thrilling experiences of the early settlers, and it was their trials and hardships that made possible the Crothersville of today. Among these hardy pioneers is Elisha Bess who probably knows as much about the early history of Crothersville as any person in Vernon Township.

About fifty-five years ago Mr. Bess was employed by John Hamacher to assist in building a log house upon his farm, which afterwards proved to be the first house ever built in Crothersville. This house, although recently remodeled, is still standing on Main street. Soon after this house was erected, the owner was urged by Thomas Baker and Henry Williams, who lived near Jersey, then a thriving town, to have part of his farm surveyed and laid out in lots. This was done and the town thus platted was named Haysville, because the country in that vicinity was thought to be an ideal place for the growing of hay.

Soon afterwards, however the name was changed to Crothersville upon the promise of Mr. Crothers of the J. M. & I. railroad, to erect a station at that point.

While the railroad was constructed about the time the town was laid out, affording an excellent means of travel to the south, and a little later to the north, the early pioneers found it very difficult to travel from place to place. They were at a disadvantage in not having mill facilities near their homes, and it was necessary, in order to get their grain ground that it be placed in sacks, and taken on horse back to Madison thirty miles distant. To this village there was only a narrow path or trail through the woods, as no roads had yet been built. There were no stores in the vicinity and the settlers had to go to either Jeffersonville about forty miles away, or to Madison for their supplies and provisions.

Daniel Baringer, who has lived in Vernon township for seventy years, his parents having moved there when he was but one year old, says that there were hardly forty acres of land cleared in that township in 1848. The entire country was covered with a dense woods of white oak, poplar, hickory, gum and maple. It was then a frequent occurrence for the woodsmen to cut down the largest trees, form several rafts, and float down the Muscatatuck to the Wabash and hence to New Orleans.

The forests were alive with wild animals, and the farmers never went to work without their ever trusty rifle. A few of the oldest residents of Crothersville have killed bears in Vernon township, and practically all the early settlers have hunted deer, wolves, wild turkeys and panthers upon the very ground where the business houses of Crothersville are now built. James Pearson, one of the oldest residents, has seen the unusual sight of thirty deer feeding together where the town now stands.

At one time there seemed to be some doubt as to whether Crothersville would ever become a town. Land owners near Jersey, a small town south of Crothersville, endeavored to influence the railroad officials to give Jersey all the railroad accommodations, and thus lessen the chances of a new town being built. The railroad, however refused to give any preference and were rather inclined to assist in any way they could the founding of new villages. At the present time there is scarcely anything which would mark a town at Jersey, while Crothersville has always grown and prospered.

The residents of Vernon township have always tried to give their children the best available school and advantages, and as early as 1848 a small school building was erected in the forests. Since that time an excellent educational system has been founded, and the school children of that township receive the advantages of those of

larger cities. Modern school buildings have been erected and an able corps of teachers is employed.

Crothersville has always been an enterprising town. It has a large stave mill, at one time the largest in the state. This mill turns out over three million staves and two and one half million sets of heading annually. It employs about forty people and has several branch mills outside the township. The plant usually runs through-out the year and is a valuable addition to the business interests of Crothersville. The canning factories located there have been very successful and the two canneries, the Crothersville Canning Co. and the Farmers' Canning Co. put out about four million five hundred thousand cans of tomatoes, hominy, beans, kraut and pumpkin. The business and professional men of Crothersville are representatives of that aggressiveness, which has characterized so prominently the successful enterprises of the present day, and are ever watchful for any improvement which will better their town.

## Ban On Foot Ball.

Word comes from Vincennes that the high school faculty has placed the ban on foot ball in the high school there this year. It is said if the Old Post town is represented in athletics this fall, the pupils will have to act independently of the school and do so without the high school colors.

The cause of the high school faculty shutting down on the team is not explained, but it is probably due to the fact that some of the players last year failed to make the proper credits and that the faculty decided that the game was interfering with school work.

## Another Cargo Landed.

100 bushels of extra fine large juicy pears for canning and preserving. \$1.00 per bushel.

## COLE'S SMOKE HOUSE.

### Afternoon Reception.

Yesterday afternoon, between the hours of four and six, Miss Gladys Kyte, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Kyte, of north Walnut street, entertained in honor of her house guest, Miss Dorothy Cunningham, of Martinsville. Every nook and corner displayed large banks of golden rod, while the dining room was decorated in maiden hair ferns and fall roses. Dainty refreshments were served, Miss Myra Laupus and Miss Harriet Montgomery presiding at the punch bowl; Miss Margaret Remy, Miss Katherine Hancock and Miss Ada Cordes in the dining room. Miss Cunningham expects to visit several days before her return to Martinsville.

### Birthday Party.

Roy Newby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Newby, celebrated his tenth birthday this afternoon by entertaining twelve of his companions from two to five o'clock. They engaged in various games and spent very enjoyable afternoon. Mrs. Newby served refreshments and helped to make the stay of the boys very pleasant.

### Tin Shower.

Miss Addie Gasaway gave a tin shower Friday evening in honor of Miss Delight Hopewell who is to be married in the near future. Quite a number of Miss Hopewell's friends were present and had a very enjoyable evening. During the evening some excellent music selections were rendered which were highly appreciated.

### Pythian Sisters.

Attention degree staff: All urged to be present Monday night, Sept. 20th.

JENNIE GLASSON, M. E. C.

MYRTAL MORTON, M. of R. & C.

s20d

Norman EuDaly, the S. Chestnut street barber, got the mattress for thirteen cents at F. H. Helderman's furniture store this afternoon.

Saturday Special—Coffee and sandwich 5 cents at Abell's lunch stand, 16 St. Louis Ave.

s18d

The time of all other trains remains the same.

Circuit court will convene again next Monday after an adjournment of three days. The grand jury has been in session all week.

Girls wanted at the New Lynn.

s20d

Free lunch 9 and 11 a. m. at Abell's lunch stand, 16 St. Louis Ave.

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## DIED.

O'MARA—Mrs. Johanna O'Mara, of Brownstown, died Saturday morning about eight o'clock of Angina Pectoris. Mrs. O'Mara was a widow lady living by herself, and was in apparently good health Friday evening. Early Saturday morning she called Dr. Wilson, who upon visitation found her suffering with pains in her breast and about her heart. After completing his examination he started for his office to prepare the medicine needed, but hardly had he arrived before word came that the patient was thought to be dead. He hurried to her home, but found that she had died a few minutes before. Mrs. O'Mara was 76 years old and has five living children, John of Oklahoma, Patrick of Fairmount, Ind., Michael of St. Louis, Daniel of Montana, and one daughter Mary, who has not been heard from for several years. Besides the children there are several married grand children.

Arrangements for the funeral will not be made until the arrival of some of the children which will probably be several days.

HOADLEY—J. C. Hoadley, a veteran of the civil war, and a brother of W. E. Hoadley, of this city, died about five o'clock Friday afternoon at his home in Newport, Ky., after an extended illness. Age about 65 years. He was a member of the Fourteenth Illinois United States cavalry and served all during the rebellion. He was also a member of the William Nelson Post, G. A. R. of Newport, which organization will have charge of the funeral Monday. A widow, one brother, five sisters and three grandchildren survive him. W. E. Hoadley was at Newport only recently to make his brother a short visit and he was in very poor health at that time from stomach and bowel trouble. About 4:35 Friday afternoon he received a message that his brother was dying. Mr. Hoadley will go to Newport to attend the funeral.

Masons Keep Busy.

At the special meeting of Jackson Lodge, No. 146, F. & A. M., Thursday evening the second degree was conferred and a new feature of the work was the singing by the quartette composed of Prof. J. C. Edwards, Ed Bryan, E. L. Hancock and Dr. L. M. Mains, Jr. The second degree will probably be conferred on another candidate next Monday evening. Arrangements are being made for another special meeting, probably the last of next week, to confer the third degree. Announcement of this will be made when arrangements are complete. There will be some social features provided. This has been a good year for Jackson Lodge and quite a number of new members have been added. In fact this lodge has scarcely been without work for two or three years. Masons who have not been in the habit of attending should make it a point to get out to the regular meeting next Monday night.

### Whitecap Trial.

The Monroe county men charged with whitecaping Thomas Vanest near Columbus are to be tried again at Columbus. The date set is October 15, and the witnesses are now being summoned.

Judge Miers was at Columbus Thursday representing the defense arranging for the trial, and was assured by the court officers that there would be no postponement. It is remembered that Jacob Kirk and David Fox, who live near Smithville, were found guilty, but were given a new trial because of a legal error in the proceedings.

### New Time Card.

A new time card goes into effect on the Southern Indiana tomorrow morning with four changes as follows:

No. 1 arrives at 10:07 a. m.

No. 3 arrives at 3:35 p. m.

No. 2 departs at 9:45 a. m.

No. 9 departs at 5:30 p. m.

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## AMBULANCE

Frank Voss Buys One That is Up-to Date.

Nothing is too good for Seymour. No one believes this anymore heartily than does Frank J. Voss, the S. Chestnut street furniture dealer and undertaker. Mr. Voss has just purchased a fine private ambulance which is as useful and convenient as it is beautiful. It is just the thing that is needed in connection with the city hospital and with the new hospital which will probably be built before the end of next year. This ambulance is about as well equipped as any you will find in the larger cities. There is every facility for the ease and comfort of the patient, including swinging and folding chairs, etc. This will be a very useful vehicle to those who have occasion to use the same. A patient will be made about as comfortable as it is possible with the ambulance going at any speed.

Mr. Voss is ready to serve the public and will answer calls on short notice at any time day or night. The ambulance is built like a government ambulance and was made by a firm which makes a specialty of that kind of work. In case of railway or other accidents where quick transportation is important the ambulance can be driven at any reasonable speed with comfort and safety. Mr. Voss is to be congratulated on taking this forward step and supplying a vehicle at considerable expense that will be so valuable to the people. If he will go ahead now and get the people together who want a city hospital he will do a further public service.

We believe that there are plenty of people in Seymour who want to do their part to build and equip a modern hospital such as we need. Laboring men and others who began to save and lay in store early spring so as to be prepared to make as liberal a contribution as possible when called upon to help out have now spent all that money and have made and spent many times that much more. Many people who will give \$5 under ordinary circumstances will give \$25 when they know that everybody else is taking interest in the promotion of the hospital in the same proportion. A \$5,000 contribution or possibly a \$2,500 contribution added to the \$10,000 contribution of Mrs. Louis Schneid which was announced a few months ago, would give a new impetus to the work of securing contributions which would carry it through to a successful ending before many weeks. There ought to be some more \$1,000 subscriptions yet and several more of \$500. If we would put the same energy into the work of raising this fund that we do in looking after our own business or in getting up a fourth of July celebration or other attraction, all of which are well and good, we would soon have the job completed and out of the way ready for work to begin and would all feel the better for it and could go right on saving money for some other progressive move.

\$30.00 in prizes for the persons guessing nearest to the number of bars of soap in the window.

### 18d THE BEE HIVE.

### Class Entertained.

Mrs. Jay C. Smith entertained her Sunday school class Friday evening from four to six at her home on north Chestnut street. Besides some outdoor games, the boys spent part of the time drawing outlines representing each of the Sunday school lessons of the quarter. Refreshments were served. The class had a very enjoyable afternoon.

Soft drinks, candies, tobacco and cigars. Hot soup and lunches. Frank Kerkhof, 14 W. Second St.

Arthur B. Graessle has moved from N. Ewing street to 311 south Walnut street.

Free lunch 9 and 11 a. m. at Abell's lunch stand, 16 St. Louis Ave.

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## S. S. Missionary Program.

Instead of the review of Paul's second and third missionary journeys which is the regular lesson for tomorrow the First Baptist Sunday school which meets at 9:15 a. m., has arranged a series of exhibits and a progressive study of articles from present day mission fields, that promises to be unusually interesting. The following is the program:

Institutional and march.

Song: "Onward Christian Soldiers," School Prayer

Solo in Burmese: "Nearer My God to Thee," by Miss Almyra Huckleberry, followed by the same song in English by School.

Taking Class Records and Missionary Offering and grouping for the progressive mission study,—seven periods of five minutes each as follows.

Idols of Japan, Miss Marietta Sawyer.

Mode of dress and dress materials in Japan, Miss Agnes Cobb.

Burmese and Kachin dresses, Miss Myrtle Morton.

Paintings and idols from Burma, Mrs. H. G. Stratton.

Karen and Burmese, song books Shan bag and Chinese needle work, Miss Joanna Newby.

Japanese carving, writing, accounting and other materials, Miss Grace Doane.

Japanese and Chinese eating utensils, Miss Blanche Huffman.

Reassembling of School and Reports.

Solo in Hindostan, "Oh how I love Jesus," Miss Almyra Huckleberry.

Closing Song: "The Morning Light is Breaking," School.

The Sunday School makes its offering for foreign missions tomorrow morning. Everyone is invited to attend this service and especially members of the Home Department and Cradle Roll. Come and learn of our great mission fields.

## First M. E. Church.

Remember, tomorrow closes the work of the present conference year. The pastor leaves for conference on Tuesday the 21st. Every member of Sunday School and church are requested to be present at the services tomorrow. Come, let us make the day memorable in the church. Make a special effort to attend.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. conducted by the pastor. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Every service tomorrow will be of great interest. Come and bring your friends.

## Central Christian Church.

Bible school 9:15 a. m. Subject for morning discussion at 10:30 is of greatest interest and will be well worth the attendance and close attention of every one. It is especially urged that each and every member of this congregation try to be present.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m., a question of most vital concern to the people of our day will be discussed. Everyone invited.

## Presbyterian Church.

The sermons tomorrow at the Presbyterian church will be upon the following subjects: Morning, "A Plea for the Young." Evening, "The Demoniac and His Successors."

Everyone is invited.

## First Baptist Church.

Bible school 9:15 a. m. Divine worship 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Subject for morning, "Children of God, or Reprobates, which?" For evening, "Almost Saved, but Lost."

"Home and Shop Sanitation," Mrs. Harley Jackson

"The House Fly," Mrs. Elmer Bollinger

"The Sanitary Condition of our Streets and Alleys," Mrs. C. D. Billings

These subjects will be discussed from their practical and sanitary standpoints. The meetings of this Association are open to all who care to attend and it is hoped that all ladies who are interested in a better sanitary condition of our city will be present at the meeting Monday afternoon.

## COLE'S SMOKE HOUSE

the talk of the town—every-thing that's good—that's all.

## 2t GEO. COLE.

## AT THE NICKELO TONIGHT

"LED ASTRAY," Drama, and

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## CAVES FOUND IN LAVA BEDS.

**Discoveries in Klamath Region****Source of Wonder to Tourists.**

The Modoc lava beds in California, near the Klamath County line, long a place of historic as well as scenic interest, have grown more prominent lately from reason of new discoveries, especially as to the caves, of which there are a great many in this region, writes a correspondent for the Portland Oregonian, all among lava beds of the ruggedest description.

As one traverses Tulu Lake, the southern margin of which rests on the lava field, about forty extinct volcanoes can be counted in the region south of the lake. Many of these are weathered and ancient, covered with shrubs and trees, and others are absolutely bare and the reddish lava about their craters has a modern look.

Following the lava flows from these cinder cones are vast crevices and crinkled ridges of lava and caves of great extent and of various forms. A man who lives in this region, and who has passed thirty years as a cowboy, claims to have discovered a cave many miles in extent, which he calls the Mammoth Cave of California, and steps are being taken to make a thorough exploration of its vast subterranean recesses.

A party of thirteen persons from Klamath Falls has just returned from a four day's outing in the lava beds, and report a most interesting outing in that land of dead volcanoes.

Several new caves were discovered by the party, one of which was 200 feet in length, 50 in width and with a level ceiling 40 feet above the floor. The most important discovery made by the party, however, was of a two-story cave, which is indeed one of the world's marvels. A hole was found some ten feet in width in the bottom of a large cave. A lantern was lowered on a rope until it was evident that there was another floor with a surrounding cavity some twenty-five or thirty feet below. A small pine tree was cut, divested of its limbs and brought into the cave. This was lowered until it touched the lower floor, and by it the party descended to a great corridor, thirty or forty feet wide, extending apparently parallel with the corridor above in both directions from the point of descent. The corridor is not less than 500 feet in extent, and is obstructed at the ends by loose material fallen from above. No thermometer was at hand to determine the temperature, but it is cool enough to contrast greatly with the degree above ground, and icicles five or six feet in length depend from the ceiling in many places.

## RUGGED HALE IS RUGLESS.

## Maine Senator Simple in His Tastes and Abhors Innovations.

Spacious offices, high marble floors and big mahogany desks do not appeal to Senator Eugene Hale of Maine, and he is one of the few Senators who have not taken advantage of the opportunities offered by the new Senate office building, according to the New York Herald. Last vacation time Col. Dan M. Randell took a look at the rooms of the committee on naval affairs and was shocked at the condition of its floor coverings and the ancient character of its furniture. It was not in keeping with the position of one of the leaders of the United States Senate. A few days after a bundle of rug samples was delivered at Ellsworth, Me., where Senator Hale spends his summers, it was accompanied with a polite suggestion as to the rehabilitation of the Maine Senator's quarters in the capitol.

Nor is that all. The limit of weight for parcels consigned from one place in the United States to another is four pounds.

Any parcel that weighs an ounce over four pounds is unavailable, and is deposited at the postoffice it will not knowingly be forwarded to its destination.

## The Proper Way.

"When I want my committee room fixed up I will let you know," said the curt note which two days later was laid on the desk of the sergeant-at-arms. "Who told you that I wanted new carpets? That is my room and it is not to be disturbed." The rug samples were not even returned.

So it is that the room on the gallery floor of the Senate still shows the tattered floor through the worn carpet and sports only the old-fashioned plain oak furniture of fifty years ago. It even has a rocking chair of the kitchen fireside model of many years past. Senator Hale likes the room as it is, and so it stays. When he relinquished the chairmanship of the committee on naval affairs and took that of appropriations he retained this room. Much of his time is spent in it. Down in the rooms of the committee on appropriations they have telephones and other modern bothers which Senator Hale abhors. Never has there been a telephone in the committee room of naval affairs.

## BUILT OVER CATACOMBS.

## Subterranean Chambers Under Certain Districts of Paris.

Paris in many of its districts is built over the catacombs. These vast subterranean chambers and galleries produce that peculiar cavernous sound which is heard in the Luxembourg, Montparnasse, Vaughard, Montrouge, and Montsouris quarters when heavy carts pass rapidly along the coarsely metalled roads. The streets are then like monstrous drums beating funeral marches to the graves over that vast common grave of ten centuries of Parisians with its millions of skeletons.

The quaint little Gothic house at the

corner of the recently prolonged Boulevard Raspail, which many an American artist must remember from his student days, actually has a private stairway leading to the catacombs from beneath a hermetically closed slab just in front of the doorstep. From time to time, says Harper's Weekly, certain municipal officials visit this grim entrance, the existence of which is known to only very few people.

A former occupant of the house, surprised by one of these visits, the reason of which was mysterious to him, was accustomed to relate that once in the dead of night he watched, quaking, from the room above, convinced that he was witnessing the final scene in a tragedy in some Borgialike political tragedy, a party of men, the chief of whom wore half concealed under his coat the tricolor scarf of a police commissary, had conveyed a body through this entrance into the catacombs below.

## FRICK'S SUMMER MANSION.

## It's the Limit for "Summer Cottage" Magnificence.

"Probably the limit of magnificence in the way of summer residences," along the north shores of Massachusetts Bay has been reached by that of Henry C. Frick, in the opinion of a descriptive writer for the Springfield Republican. It is in that part of Beverly known as Pride's Crossing, and built on a tremendous foundation of stone masonry, it overlooks the ocean for miles and commands a view of an undulating tree and grass-grown country from Salem to Gloucester. The building is of red brick and has a red roof and can thus, from its commanding position, be seen from a great distance. The establishment is on a scale so magnificent that a special electric light plant, owned by Mr. Frick, has been installed in the grounds for the purpose of furnishing the various buildings with light. There is also a large greenhouse. But, perhaps, most of all the mind of the man who leads the simple life is most impressed by the magnificence of the stable which lies in the inland side of Hale street, just opposite the Manor hall. It is said that people have gazed upon this building in frank and sincere admiration not unmixed with envy in the belief it was in truth the Frick mansion about which they had heard so much. Near the road is a smaller building which is Mr. Frick's pool and billiard house. Mr. Frick is evidently an exception to the rule laid down by James J. Hill in his speech at the opening of the Alaska-Yukon exposition, in which he said: "The life of those who do the work of the world, whether in the high places or the low, is usually a simple thing."

## Parcels by Post to Japan.

On and after August 1 parcels up to eleven pounds in weight and of a value not greater than \$80 may be sent through the mails from this country to Japan at the rate of 12 cents for one pound or for any fraction of a pound, prepaid, says the Philadelphia Inquirer.

This is the announcement which has been made by the postoffice department, and it suggests the inquiry how soon the public may expect the application of a similarly liberal arrangement to domestic traffic. The actual situation is absurd, for while the postal department stands ready to transport a parcel one pound in weight to Yokohama or Tokyo for 12 cents, it charges 16 cents for carrying such a parcel across the river to Camden.

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## The Proper Way.

It usually takes a woodworker's apprentice a year or more to learn that he doesn't know how.

A fledgling mechanic, who spoke sneeringly of a man whom he heard using several blows of the hammer to drive a shingle nail, was somewhat crestfallen when told that the nail would hold better when driven "home" by several light taps than when driven by one heavy one.

"Why?" asked he, in surprise.

"Because," said the other, "when you drive a nail home with a heavy blow it is apt to rebound a trifle, loosening the grip of the wood fibers on it. Drive it almost down, if you will, with as hard blows as you wish, but finish with several light blows."

## Why They're Disappointed.

"Some men sit with folded hands waiting for their ships to come in," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "who never made a single move toward even raising a sail."—Yonkers Statesman.

## Enjoyable.

"Did you enjoy your ride in Green's naptha launch?"

"I should say I did. The engine didn't break down once."—Detroit Free Press.

## Ship Talk.

Steward—The second breakfast is being served now, sir.

Cabin Passenger—Good gracious! Why, I haven't had my first yet.—Punch.

A bachelor says matrimony is a sort of training school in which some women learn the art of drawing allusion.

Silence is an argument that doesn't appeal to women.



## Her Thoroughness.

There was once a little girl who was housewife. Her name was Della and her mother was extremely proud of her. She could do all sorts of clever things—sewing and sweeping and cooking and everything. She always remembered to see that the other children had rubbers on when it was raining and didn't forget their umbrellas. She was such a capable child that one year, when they were getting ready to go to the country, she said to her mother: "Now, mother, you're so tired putting all the things in the house away and putting the summer clothes on the furniture, won't you let me pack the trunks?"

And her mother replied: "Della, if any other child had asked me to let her pack the trunks I should have said, 'Run along and play with your dolly,' but you are such a good and capable child that I believe I'll let you. Be sure to pack everything we need. You go upstairs and pack all the seven trunks and I'll go downtown and tell the expressman to call for them before lunch."

So Della trotted upstairs feeling very important, and she packed all those seven trunks with a neatness and precision which was truly beautiful. And just as she got the last one packed the expressman came in and carried them off.

They were to leave on the 4 o'clock train, and as the time approached the mother collected all the children and told them to get ready. But when they went to get ready they couldn't find their coats and hats anywhere. They hunted for them high and they hunted for them low, but they were nowhere to be found. Della had packed them in the trunks! They were all in a very distracted frame of mind.

"We might take our handkerchiefs and tie a knot in each corner for hats," suggested Della. But their mother didn't seem to think that was a good idea.

Then Della had another thought. "We'll have to borrow them from the neighbors," she said.

So the children scurried around the neighborhood and collected a various assortment of hats. They were not all entirely appropriate or becoming, but they got to the station in time to catch their train. The next day they sent back all the hats by express and unpacked them from the trunks.

And when they got ready to come home from the country Della made all the children put on their hats and coats before she began to pack.—Chicago News.

## A Wounded Soldier.



## Over the Garden Wall.

If this game is played upon a tennis court the net makes a good wall, or if played in the parlor, a strip of muslin stretched across the folding doors or room, will answer. Then select two captains, who, in turn, select their sides, each side taking a position on either side of the wall. Each captain has a soft ball and at the count of one-two-three they toss the ball over the wall, at the same time calling the name of the opposite player who is expected to catch it. If in the excitement the wrong one catches the ball, he or she goes on the other side. The player who catches the ball, hastily passes it again to his captain and the former rule is repeated until one side outnumbers the other to great extent.

## Rule for ei and ie.

There have been times, no doubt, when many of the boys and girls have been puzzled about the proper use of ei and ie in such words as receive and believe, which have the long e sound, nor need they feel ashamed to acknowledge it, for many "grown-ups" confess to the same weakness. There is a very simple rule, however, easily borne in mind, that will help you forever to overcome this doubt. The consonants e and i should be followed by ei, and all other consonants by ie, except that in two words—"siege" and "sieve"—the s is followed by ie. Is not this an easy thing to remember?

## Footcap Paper.

Doubtless many who have had occasion to write upon footcap at school have wondered why this quality of paper is thus called. The watermark gives the explanation, and a watermark, as every one knows, is the master's trade-mark, visible in the pa-

per when a sheet is held up to the light. The watermark of footcap is supposed to be a figure of Britannia supporting a cap of liberty on a pole. The resemblance of the cap of liberty to a dunce's cap led to the common use of the name, which the brand of paper now bears.

## Pens and Pease.

Have you ever wondered when speaking or writing of the vegetable "pease" that sometimes it is spelled one way and at other times another? This is inconvenient, and perhaps, we think, unnecessary, but as it is a rule of our language we must conform until it be changed. A simple way is to remember that when you speak of a definite number of "peas" as "three peas" you spell it as we have there written it. When you wish to speak of the vegetable in bulk as by the bushel you spell it "pease."

## THE ALHAMBRA REVISITED.

## TRUMPET CALLS.

Ram's Horn Sounds a Warning Note to the Unredeemed.

Starving the preacher never strengthens the sermon.

All paths to strength are known as avenues of struggle. He who is tender toward the weeds is cruel to the harvest.

Star-gazing is a poor way of finding the path to Heaven.

God never speaks through the man who cannot be silent.

Respectability always sits still lest its bones rattle audibly.

Shadows always hang longest over folks who growl at them.

He makes few mistakes who follows love, even though blindly.

The people who work religion seldom do any religious work.

The piety that runs out at the mouth only never rises in the heart.

If wishes were works how soon would the whole world be redeemed.

Folks who starch their necks usually let it run down into their hearts.

The people who close their eyes in meeting usually make up for it with their mouths.

It's hard work trying to raise heavenly fruits in a heart where the sun never enters.

Save where there has been much hard grinding, the gold is never on the surface of life.

When Christ is in your home you will not need a placard on the wall to advertise the fact.

The character goods we feel like advertising are often the ones for which we need to apologize.

## MILKING AN INDIAN COW.

## The Helpful Bellboy.

For four consecutive nights the hotel man had watched his fair, timid guest fill her pitcher at the water cooler.

"Madam," he said on the fifth night, "if you would ring, this would be done for you."

"But where is my bell?" asked the lady.

"The bell is beside your bed," replied the proprietor.

"That the bell!" she exclaimed. "Why, the boy told me that was the fire alarm, and that I wasn't to touch it on any account!"—Success Magazine.

## DON'T DESPAIR.

## Read the Experience of a Minnesota Woman and Take Heart.

If your back aches and you feel sick, languid, weak and miserable day after day—don't worry. Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women in the same condition.

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## The "Still Small Voice."

The moral of this story may be that it is better to heed the warnings of the "still small voice" before it is driven to the use of the telephone. A New York lawyer, gazing idly out of his window, saw a sight in an office across the street that made him rub his eyes and look again. Yes, there was, no doubt about it. The pretty stenographer was sitting upon the gentleman's lap. The lawyer noticed the name that was lettered on the window and then searched in the telephone book. Still keeping his eye upon the scene across the street, he called the gentleman up. In a few moments he saw him start violently, and take down the receiver.

"Yes," said the lawyer through the telephone, "I should think you would start."

The victim whisked his arm from its former position and began to stammer something.

"Yes," continued the lawyer severely, "I think you'd better take that arm away. And while you're about it, as long as there seem to be plenty of chairs in the room—"

The victim brushed his arm from the lap, rather roughly, it is to be feared. "Who—who the devil is this, anyhow?" he managed to splutter.

"I," answered the lawyer in deep, impressive tones, "am your conscience!" And then he hung up.

## NOT AS BAD AS IT MIGHT BE.

"Here's an Indiana man who wants a divorce because his wife takes all his money and goes out and buys ice cream."

"Well, he ought to be mighty thankful she doesn't make him turn the freezer."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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We are going to send twenty young women between the ages of 16 and 50, (white, of good character), on a two months' tour to the Mediterranean, the Azores, Madeira, Gibraltar, Morocco, Southern France and Italy. We will pay all expenses of every kind for a thorough, enjoyable trip.

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He Defends Tariff Law With All His Vigor.

## THE BEST WE HAVE EVER HAD

This Is the Opinion Boldly Expressed by President Taft in His Winona Speech—in the Same Connection He Asserted That the "Insurgents" Who Voted Against the Bill Had Abandoned the Republican Party—Taft Gives Remarkable Support to Tawney in Latter's Home.

Winona, Minn., Sept. 18.—President Taft here last night, in a state which is the hotbed of the "insurgent" movement within the Republican party, in the most important utterance he has made since his occupancy of the White House, defended the Payne tariff bill as the best tariff measure ever passed by a Republican congress and hence the best tariff bill the people have ever known.

The president boldly asserted that the insurgents who voted against the bill had abandoned the Republican party.

"Was it the duty of the men of congress who believed that the bill did not accomplish everything that it ought to accomplish, to vote against it?" asked the president. "I am here to justify those who answer this question in the negative. I am not here to defend those who voted for the Payne bill, but to support them."

This statement the crowd in the opera house received with a cheer which could be heard far down the street. It was shouted by the adherents of Representative James A. Tawney of this district, the chairman of the house committee on appropriations, who has been on the defense ever since the adjournment of congress because he did not vote with the other members of the delegation from Minnesota, both in the house and senate against the bill.

Mr. Tawney met the president at LaCrosse, Wis., and accompanied him to this city, his home town. It had been reported for some time that the president intended defending Mr. Tawney for his party regularity, but there were none to predict that the president would go so far as he did in characterizing the position taken by the insurgent senators and representatives. The president had met Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, one of the leaders of the insurgent movement, at Milwaukee during the forenoon, and had greeted him quite cordially.

"To make party government effective," said the president last night, "the members of that party should surrender their personal predilections of comparative less importance. I am not here to criticize those who felt so strongly and believed so intensely that it was their duty to vote against the tariff bill because it did not contain all they thought it should.

"It was a question for each man to settle for himself.

"In matters of this kind it is a question with the party representative whether he shall help maintain the party solidarity for accomplishing its chief purposes, or whether the departure from principle in the bill, as he regards it, is so extreme that he must in conscience abandon the party."

Further along the president gave a final word to the insurgents. "I am glad to see that those who voted against the bill still insist that they are Republicans and that they intend to keep up the fight for still lower tariff rates within the party. That is their right and in their view of things is their duty."

"All I have to say in respect to Mr. Tawney's action in voting for the bill and my action in signing it is that I believed that the interests of this country and the interests of the party required me to sacrifice the accomplishment of certain things in the revision of the tariff which I had hoped for, in order to maintain party solidarity, which I believed to be much more important than the reduction in rates in one or two schedules of the tariff."

President Taft's speech was a remarkable, plain-spoken defense of the Payne bill. The president went into the details of every schedule of the tariff bill, dwelling especially on the schedules which were the subject of the greatest fight and which developed more strongly the insurgent movement.

As to the woolen schedule, Mr. Taft declared without hesitation or equivocation that the rates of the Payne bill were too high. It was found early in the fight, however, he asserted, that the wool and woolen manufacturing interests in the Republican party were so strong that any attempt to change the Dingley rates would result in a defeat of the bill.

"I am sorry that this is so," said the president, "and I wish it could have been otherwise. It is one important defect in the bill and in the performance of the promises of the Republican platform."

### Why Druggists Recommend Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. Frank C. Hanrahan, a prominent druggist of Portsmouth, Va., says: "For the past six years I have sold and recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is a great remedy and one of the best patent medicines on the market. I handle some others for the same purposes that pay me a larger profit, but this remedy is so sure to effect a cure, and my customer so certain to appreciate my recommending it to him, that I give it the preference." For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Twenty-Nine Lives Lost Off the Isle of Pines.

Mobile, Ala., Sept. 18.—Advices received here from the Isle of Pines, off the southern coast of Cuba, tell of the loss of the steamer Nicholas Castina with twenty-seven members of its crew and two passengers during the recent hurricane in those waters.

Eighteen bodies have been recovered. The missing eleven are believed to have become the victims of sharks.

### A Sprained Ankle.

As usually treated a sprained ankle will disable the injured person for a month or more, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle faithfully, a cure may, in most cases, be effected in less than one week's time. This liniment is a most remarkable preparation; try it for a sprain or a bruise, or when laid up with chronic or muscular rheumatism, and you are certain to be delighted with the relief which it affords. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Hundreds Killed by Explosion.

Tangier, Sept. 18.—Two hundred persons are reported killed and a like number injured by the explosion of a powder magazine in the market place at Iligh, in Taraoumt province. The magazine blew up when the market place was crowded. Nearly every house in Iligh was damaged by the explosion, and a number completely destroyed.

### Best Treatment for a Burn.

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the wound without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price, 25 cents. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Victim of Overhead Bridge.

Washington, Ind., Sept. 18.—Fred Walters, a Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern fireman, living at Vallonia, was instantly killed at Montgomery. He was leaning from the gangway of an engine cab to get a breath of fresh air when his head struck the pillar of an overhead bridge.

### Good for Blisters.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks," says J. J. Firestone, of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for blisters."

For sale by C. W. Milhous. Samples free.

### George A. Asty Dead.

Indianapolis, Sept. 18.—George A. Asty, deputy great commander of the Knights of the Maccabees, who shot himself at his home in this city, is dead at the city hospital as the result of his injuries. Asty made the attempt to end his life because of poor health and domestic troubles.

### Why?

From a small beginning the sale and use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has extended to all parts of the United States and to many foreign countries. Why? Because it has proved especially valuable for coughs and colds. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Henry Horn Reared.

Princeton, Ind., Sept. 18.—Henry Horn, pit boss in the Princeton coal mine, who on Aug. 12 shot and killed Louis Gaisser as the result of a fight following the latter's discharge, has been rearrested on a grand jury indictment charging second degree murder.

### Health And Beauty Aid.

Cosmetics and lotions will not clear your complexion of pimples and blotches like Foley's Orino Laxative, for indigestion, stomach and liver trouble and habitual constipation. Cleanses the system and is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

### Wasn't a Good Loser.

New York, Sept. 18.—Frank E. Beck, a bookmaker widely known among racing men, committed suicide last night in his apartments by inhaling illuminating gas. According to the police recent heavy losses sustained by Beck are responsible for his act.

Many people delude themselves by saying "It will wear away," when they notice symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble. This is a mistake. Take Foley's Kidney Pills, and stop the drain on the vitality. They cure backache, rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble, and make every trace of pain, weakness, and urinary trouble disappear. Sold by all druggists.

## DR. COOK LETS IN FURTHER LIGHT

Additional Details of Row With Peary.

### HE CONCEALED VITAL FACT

When Dr. Cook Returned From the Pole and Found Peary's Man in Charge of His Depot He Told Only Harry Whitney of the Success of His Quest and Swore Him to Secrecy—Peary's Man Was Thrown Off, Hence Peary's Information That Cook Did Not Reach Pole.

On Board the Steamship Oscar II at Sea, Sept. 18, via Marconi Wireless Telegraph to Cape Ray, N. F.—The following is the message Dr. Frederick A. Cook asked the Associated Press to give to his countrymen as he nears home on the steamer Oscar II, bound from Christiansand, Norway, to New York: "Tell the people of America to have the fullest confidence in my conquest of the pole. I have records of observations made by me which will prove my claim. I shall be glad again to set my foot on American soil." The Oscar II is due to arrive at New York some time next Monday.

Dr. Cook discussed freely the assertions of Commander Peary that he (Cook) had never reached the north pole, and drew from him a detailed story of the causes that brought about dissensions between the two explorers. When he departed for the north, Dr. Cook said, he left a depot of provisions at Annatok, north of Etah, in charge of Rudolph Franke and several Eskimos. Franke had instructions to go south aboard a whaler and return later. This he did, but missed the returning vessel, owing to slight illness. He was then taken aboard Peary's ship, the Roosevelt, and proceeded north.

"Commander Peary found my supply depot at Annatok," Dr. Cook continued, "and the Eskimos in charge told him that I was dead, which they fully believed at the time.

"Peary placed two men in charge of the depot, Boatswain Murphy and another, Harry Whitney, the New Haven hunter, also remained there. Murphy had orders not to search for me, but was told he could send Eskimos northward the following spring from the relief depot.

"When I returned from the pole unexpectedly, Harry Whitney was the first to see me and to tell me what had occurred. Whitney was placed in possession of the facts concerning my journey to the pole on condition that he would not inform Commander Peary or his men of them. At the same time the Eskimos who had accompanied me north were told to maintain the strictest silence.

"When I went into the depot there was a dispute between myself and Murphy, who delivered to me written instructions he had received from Peary, although he himself could neither read nor write. The instructions showed that he was making a trading station of my depot, the contents of which had been used in trading for furs and skins."

Dr. Cook said he was intensely annoyed at this alleged wrongful use of his supplies and threatened to kick out Murphy and his companions. Finally, however, he consented to their remaining at the depot, as there was no other shelter in the vicinity for them.

"On one occasion Murphy asked me abruptly, 'Have you been beyond 87°?' Dr. Cook continued, "but I was determined not to let Peary know my movements and replied evasively that I had been much farther north. From this statement he had been concocted the declaration that I had said that I had not reached the pole."

Dr. Cook declared that neither Harry Whitney nor his (Cook's) records are on board the steamer Roosevelt and that therefore Peary's information concerning him emanated from Boatswain Murphy, who knew nothing of his movements. Dr. Cook said also that he had made arrangements for the two Eskimos who went with him to the pole and Knud Rasmussen, whom he met in Greenland, to go to New York and confirm the story of his discovery.

Dr. Cook is thoroughly enjoying his rest aboard ship after the strenuous days at Copenhagen.

### Pearly Leaves Battle Harbor.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 18.—A dispatch received here from Commander Peary at Battle Harbor says that he will leave there today and will arrive in Sydney on Tuesday.

### Senator Lindsay Improving.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 18.—The condition of former United States Senator William Lindsay, who has been critically ill at his home in this city for some days past, is reported as being somewhat improved, though he is still seriously ill.

### Trolley Car Kills Preacher.

Danville, Ill., Sept. 18.—The Rev. Andrew W. Cox, pastor of the United Brethren church, Vermillion Heights, a suburb, was struck by an interurban car and instantly killed.

## B. & O. S.-W.

Very low one-way rates to Arizona, British Columbia, California, Colorado, Idaho, New Mexico, Nevada, Oregon, Washington and Utah.

Commencing Sept. 15,

## Worn Women

Women, worn and tired from overwork, need a tonic. That feeling of weakness or helplessness will not leave you of itself. You should take Wine of Cardui, that effectual remedy for the ailments and weaknesses of women. Thousands of women have tried Cardui and write enthusiastically of the great benefit it has been to them. Try it—don't experiment—use this reliable, oft-tried medicine.

## TAKE CARDUI

### The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Rena Hare, of Pierce, Fla., tried Cardui and afterward wrote: "I was a sufferer from all sorts of female trouble, had pain in my side and legs, could not sleep, had shortness of breath. I suffered for years, until my husband insisted on my trying Cardui. The first bottle gave me relief and now I am almost well. Try Cardui. 'Twill help you."

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OF THE  
R. K. McClure Farm  
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Terms of sale ½ cash on delivery of a deed conveying a good and merchantable Title, the balance in equal payments on or before 1 and 2 years with six per cent. interest per annum, payable annually. A cash deposit of \$50 of each purchaser of a subdivision and \$200 of the purchaser of the whole, to be refunded in case no sale is effected.

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Plenty of Specialties and a

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Seats on Sale Saturday, September 18, at noon.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1909

GOVERNOR JOHNSON, of Minnesota, underwent a surgical operation this week as a last resort to save his life, but the bulletins indicate that his chances for recovery are slight.

BEFORE long agents will be around taking orders for books entitled, "Dr. Cook's own Story," or "Commander Peary's Dash For the Pole." It is probable that some enterprising publishers are at work on such books even before the explorers get back home.

UP IN Johnson county the sheriff went out after a bunch of gamblers and caught twenty-four. Good catch for a sheriff. City policemen are not in the habit of doing better than that. It often happens that peace officers are the last ones to see or to suspect infractions of the law. But now and then a sheriff or a constable makes the experienced policeman ashamed.

A BLIND tiger operator was arrested, tried, convicted and fined \$100 and sentenced thirty days in jail at Washington. Served him right. He knew better than to violate the law but did not expect to be caught. Every blind tiger operator and bootlegger should get the full penalty and that means a jail sentence. And every policeman who cannot scent a blind tiger should be promptly discharged.

### Political Gossip.

Charles Leininger has announced as a democratic candidate for councilman at large. J. S. Mills announced his candidacy for a like place on the democratic ticket a few days ago.

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The republican candidates for council who have made formal announcement are John L. Vogel in the Second ward, William Ahlert and William R. Day in the Fifth ward. There is all of another week in which to make announcements and get on the primary ballot.

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George B. Russell is the only democrat in the First ward so far to announce for councilman.

### Air Ships Pass Through.

Two Kuabenshau & Beackey air ships passed through Seymour this morning—but not in the air. They were on the southbound Pennsylvania train going to Nashville, Tenn., where a fair will soon begin. The two ships were of a racing type and were capable of making from twenty to forty miles per hour.

The rigging occupied an entire car and six men were with the outfit. The ships have just been on exhibition in Grand Rapids, Mich., where they made several successful flights. These air ships are well known, having made many successful flights in different parts of the country.

### Act Quickly

If you have a sudden chill—if you have cold, cramp or diarrhoea—don't wait a minute. Take a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of hot water or milk. You'll be on the road to quick recovery. Have this tried remedy on hand for immediate use. Being prepared is half the battle. New size bottles 35c, also in 50c. size.

Mrs. W. F. Harris, wife of the new foreman of motive power here for the B. & O. S-W., was here from Washington this week. They are making arrangements to move here soon and will reside in the cottage owned by U. F. Lewis on W. Sixth street. Mr. and Mrs. Harris are clever people and we are glad to have them locate in our city.

### PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD.

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blistery or pruruline piles, send me your address and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P, Notre Dame, Ind.

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Next Sunday

Train leaves Seymour at 8:42 a. m.

## Announcements.

### FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce Dr. Leroy M. Mains, sr., as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the decision of the republican city primary election.

We are authorized to announce Fred Everback as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the decision of the republican city primary election.

We are authorized to announce John H. Kamman as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the decision of the republican city primary election.

### FOR TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce Dr. Fielden Lett as a candidate for City Treasurer, subject to the republican city primary election.

We are authorized to announce W. J. Weaver as a candidate for City Treasurer subject to the republican primary election.

### FOR COUNCIL

We are authorized to announce William R. Day as a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward subject to the decision of the republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce Wm. Ahlert as a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward subject to the decision of the republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce John L. Vogel as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the republican primary election.

### Democratic Announcement.

#### FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce C. C. Frey as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic primary election.

### Democratic Announcement

#### FOR CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce George Cole as a democratic candidate for city clerk, subject to the democratic primary election.

### County Asylums.

The Board of State Charities has just issued their quarterly bulletin for the quarter ending September 1909, in which they give the conditions of the various county jails and charitable institutions of the state. In this report they give a careful summary of their examinations and in some cases recommend several changes and improvements.

They report that the County Poor Asylum at Brownstown was visited in June, 1909, and found twenty-nine inmates, fifteen men and fourteen women. The bulletin states that it was in its "usual neat condition." The farm consists of one hundred seven acres, upon which are built ample buildings. The main building is lighted by electricity and is well ventilated. All the supplies are purchased on competitive bids. The jail was visited at the same time, which they found in a neat, clean and sanitary condition. They state that some complaints had been received about the food served to the prisoners, but investigation showed these complaints unfounded. The greatest need, it is said, is a hospital ward, for the benefit of sick prisoners.

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### Many Passengers.

The railroads have had unusually heavy travel today and nearly every train that came into the city was crowded. Some of the trains carried extra cars to accommodate the increased number of passengers. Nearly every train from the south carried a large number of passengers from Louisville where the Kentucky state fair has been in progress for several days. Several colleges begin their school year Monday and many of the passengers were students going to their respective schools. The railroads report, however, an increased traffic for the past month and expect a heavy fall business.

### Good Wheat Year.

G. H. Anderson has returned from Decatur county where he has a large farm. He reports that he intends to put in about fifty acres of wheat, and thinks it will be profitable to the farmers to sow a large wheat acreage this year. He is of the opinion that the price will be as high next year as it is this season and the quality should be as good.

### Plead Guilty.

Marshal Walker and Sheriff Wilson went to Brownstown Friday and returned a man who had "jumped" a board bill. He plead guilty and was fined \$10 and cost, \$24.50 in. He went to jail in default of payment.—Scottsburg Democrat.

### Police Court.

Sherman Meranda was found guilty yesterday upon a charge of intoxication, and fined \$1 and costs which were paid.

### Piano Tuning.

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There is an air of distinction in our extensive showing of FIRST HATS for early autumn wear.

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An early fall bargain if you choose now from a special lot on sale at \$1.49.

Equally as strong values in three other special lots at \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95.

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Fair tonight, Sunday probably in-  
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minimum temperatures as shown by  
the government thermometers at the  
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About 250 Seymour people, includ-  
ing the battalion of 70 uniformed men,  
the Seymour Band and others who  
went along, attended the "Woodmen of  
the Woods" picnic at Columbus

Friday evening. The battalion was  
one of the leading features of the  
parade. They had battalion inspection  
on the grounds and the Foresters  
gave an excellent exhibition drill on  
the platform which won hearty ap-  
plause. Later in the evening the M.  
W. A. team exemplified the degree

work at Modern Woodman hall. The  
late cars returning were crowded, the  
Woodmen special arriving home this

morning after one o'clock. More than

3,000 people witnessed the exhibition  
drill at Perry's Grove.

**Wife Gets Divorce.**

Judge Hacker, of Columbus, has  
granted a divorce to Viola Caldwell  
from her husband, Charles Caldwell,  
who figured in a lot of sensations at  
Elizabethtown last spring. She also  
gets what property he had in Bartholomew,  
and is given custody of their  
one child, to whose support Caldwell  
is to contribute five dollars a month.  
Caldwell was not present when the de-  
cree was granted.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy F. Rea and

family left for their home at Wash-  
ington, D. C., Friday evening after a

visit of a few weeks with Conductor

and Mrs. W. B. Scoopmire and other

relatives and friends in this city and

vicinity.

Mrs. Melvina Richardson and

daughter, of Monroe City, stopped

here for a visit with her brother, S.

G. Mayes, father of R. O. Mayes, of

west Fifth street. They were on their

way home from a visit in Kentucky.

They did not stay long on account of

a fire loss suffered by her daughter at

Monroe City.

Rev. Homer Manuel, of Patriot,

Ind., was in the city Friday the guest

of his brother, John Manuel, and

family, of N. Mill street. From here

he went to Freetown to visit his

brother, George Manuel. He will also

visit a sister at Spratytown before go-

ing on to Washington Monday to

attend the Methodist conference.

H. A. Allison, of Elizabethtown,

formerly of Hayden, and for many

years a reader of the REPUBLICAN,

went to Olney, Ill., Friday on a visit

with his son and other relatives. He

is eighty-three years of age and travels

alone. Another son resides in the

vicinity of Brownstown. Mrs. Alli-

son died at Elizabethtown about a

year ago.

Ed O. Allen and little daughter,

Doris, arrived yesterday from Fresno,

Cal., and went on to Brownstown to

visit relatives. They expect to re-

main in this locality about forty days.

He is the son of Oscar Allen of

Brownstown and is an engineer on

a limited special running out of Fresno

on the Santa Fe. They left home

Sunday night and were four days on

the road. He has a sixty day lay

off and will stop at Denver, Col., and

other points in the west on his return

home.

**PERSONAL.**

Ralph Reed, of Bedford, made a  
business trip here today.

Miss Edna Robertson came up from  
Brownstown this morning.

Z. M. Scifres, of Salem, was in the  
city yesterday on business.

E. J. Dop and wife, of Shelbyville,  
were in Seymour Saturday.

Frank Voss was a passenger to  
Franklin Friday afternoon.

County Clerk John Tinder transac-  
ted business here Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Perrin, of Uniontown, was  
in the city yesterday morning.

George Vehslage, Sr., was an east-  
bound passenger this morning.

Mrs. Charles Greer went to Shoals  
this morning to visit relatives.

William Judd, of Cortland, transac-  
ted business in the city Saturday.

Miss Pearl Rucker, of Tampico, was  
the guest of Miss Bessie Downing this

week.

Mrs. Joseph Donahue went to Log-  
ansport this morning to spend several  
days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rinne will  
spend Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. A.

A. Reed at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williams have  
returned from a visit of a week in the  
southern part of the state.

Mrs. Jas. H. Clark, of Columbus, was  
here Thursday the guest of Dr. and  
Mrs. F. W. Dragoo.

R. W. Ford, of Louisville, claim  
agent on the Pennsylvania line, went  
south on one of the morning trains to-  
day.

George C. Miller, of Bosworth, Mo.,  
returned home Saturday morning after  
spending several weeks with relatives  
near this city.

Mrs. John Norwald returned to her  
home in Greensburg Saturday morning  
after visiting H. F. Cordes and  
family, for several days.

Misses Mabel Harris and Bessie  
Downing, Messrs. Charles Eldridge,  
Albert Ross, James Cadem and Curtis  
Cross attended the fair at Scottsburg  
Thursday.

County Superintendent J. E. Payne  
was in the city Saturday to attend the  
preliminary teachers' institute which  
was held in the Masonic building this

afternoon.

Isaac Warner, of Crothersville, was  
transacting business here Friday  
afternoon and stopped at the REPUBLICAN  
to advance his subscription another year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Boswell, of  
Birmingham, Ala., are the guests of  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mack.  
They have been visiting in Illinois  
and at St. Louis.

Rev. Ray Banks, of Heltonville,  
was in the city Saturday morning on  
his way to Cana, where he delivered  
an address at the M. E. Sunday school  
picnic. Tomorrow he will preach at  
Uniontown.

Frans S. Jones has returned from  
Columbus where he sat as special  
judge in a case that occupied most of  
three days. It was a suit for damage  
as previously reported and the jury  
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Mrs. J. L. Blair returned lastevening  
from a visit of three weeks with  
relatives and friends at Indianapolis.

Mrs. John Corwin, who has been

visiting Mrs. Charles Graessle, re-  
turned to her home in Anderson this

afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Claybaker, Mrs. Henry  
Lambing and Mrs. Henry Quade have  
returned to their homes near Black-  
well, Okla., after a five weeks' visit

## TAKING CHANCES.

"Tis love that makes the world go round." The poets blithely sing; Alas for him who pawns his watch To buy a diamond ring, And after in a little flat Dwells cooped up with his dear And frames excuses 'gainst the time The landlord doth appear.

"Tis love that makes the world go round."

In trust, a pleasing song,

But often, as the facts do prove,

It makes the world go wrong.

Sometimes the chap who got his choice For freedom stoutly prays,

While he who sought her hand in vain Lives happy all his days.

"Tis love that makes the world go round."

I would no cynic be;

Although we make some grave mis-

takes,

"Tis very plain to see

That love is still well worth the while

Of mortals here below

And life without some risks to run

Would be a trifle slow.

Birmingham Age-Herald.

## Young Mr. Hopper

since Christmas, dad, else I'd have put 'em on before. That long prayer of yours in meetin' made all your buttons fly. Old Deacon Harbro bust only one of his."

Cheered by Selina's tribute to his gifts as an exhorter, Tollevents tied a black handkerchief loosely round his collar and took down his gun, which he loaded with unusual care, the girls watching him apprehensively the while. When he put in an extra allowance of buckshot Selina remonstrated with him.

"Thar's only one young man wuth marryin' in Four Corners just now, dad. Don't waste him."

"This yer alleged marryin' man," said Tollevents, carefully resting the gun against the veranda, "comes down this yer road 'sif it belonged to him. It b'longs to me; and I'm goin' to drive the truth into him."

"Not with buckshot," implored Selina, turning a little pale.

Tollevents rested his gun in a fork of the lilacs which grew greenly around the veranda, brought out his Bible, turned to his favorite chapter wherein many Amalekites were slaughtered, and read it with gusto.

"Does seem to me," he mused, keeping one eye on the road—"Does seem to me 'sif that's more real wholesomeness in gittin' a man under the fifth rib 'stead of fillin' him up with buckshot; but we can't be choosers of what is set afore us. We must do the work in the way as somes handiest. I reckon young Hopper 'll be along in an hour. If he ain't, I'll go and fetch him."

## II.

Selina, noting that her sisters, obeying a hint from Tollevents, were all attired in their Sunday best, laughing mirthfully. "Dad! I'll scare the life out of him," she said, gaily. "That Hopper can't say boo to a goose."

She slipped round the back of the shanty, her dark face framed in a becoming sunbonnet, dived down to Ottawa shore, then up again through



"WHAT'S THE FUSS, DAD?"

the pines, some quarter of a mile from her father's house.

Presently, young Mr. Hopper, picturesque yet shy, also blue-eyed, and with a fierce moustache, which belied his youth, sauntered irresolutely down the road. As he did so, he was aware of Selina coming towards him, the one person in the world whom he had hoped to see. "Snakes!" he murmured to himself. "My heart's pumpin'. I can't run now."

Selina affected to pass him, then stopped suddenly. "Goin' down the road?" she asked; and took him with veiled eyelids.

"I've bin' down this yer blamed old road all the winter, and all the spring, and all the summer," declared Mr. Hopper, fiercely; "an' thar's nine of you allers sittin' on the veranda and you never show up."

"Thinkin' of turnin' Mormon, Mr. Hopper? Ain't nine of us enuf for you?"

"N-no," declared Mr. Hopper, irresolutely. "Not by no manner of means. Me bein' a shy sort of man, I git lost in the crowd. It—it makes me head swim," he added, feebly.

"Then if you tumble in the river you won't drown. But did I orter be gettin' on?"

"What's your hurry?" implored Mr. Hopper, then blushed crimson.

There was a twitch of Selina's pretty lips as she looked down the road. "Nothin'! Nothin'! Only, you don't know what you're lettin' yourself in for if you go down that road to-night."

"Nothin' can be worse'n goin' on like this," declared the pessimistic Mr. Hopper. "Old man on the warpath? Thinks he owns this road, don't he?"

Selina nodded. "He's got his best clothes on, the old gun's filled up to the brim with—buckshot!"

"I'd like to fill him up to the brim with whisky, then turn him loose in sneein'," said Mr. Hopper, vindictive. "What's he want to take a hand in this yer game for?"

"He thinks it's time some of us got settled. If you go down there you'll find out what he means. Better go home."

"See here," Mr. Hopper looked into the charming face until she blushed most becomingly. "See here. I'm the man who's doin' the marryin', ain't I?"

"Ye-es."

"Then blamed if I don't go and tell him so."

"But you've no gun," declared Selina in terror. "He'll make you marry Sars'prilla 'cause she's the oldest."

"M—" said Mr. Hopper, with a dark meaning—"If I git out of this a'lve I'm going to marry the gal I darn please, if—if she'll have me."

Selina held him back a moment, her radiant eyes flashing into his.

Something he saw there filled Mr.

Hopper with sudden courage. Blush-

ing fiercely the while, he took her in his arms, kissed her fervently and marched valiantly down the road, leaving Selina gazing after him.

"And they call him shy!" she mused. "Shy! With a moustache like that!" Her cheeks flamed as she dived into the mysterious recesses of the pines, which stood in serried ranks upon the river shore.

## III.

"You, Hopper! Stop!" cried Tollevents, as young Mr. Hopper came rapidly abreast of the house.

Mr. Hopper caught the glint of a gun barrel. The sun set fair behind the gloomy hills. Ranged in a row on the veranda were nine fair girls. At the end of the veranda stood Tollevents, tall, gaunt, thin, clad in his Sunday best, leaning carelessly on the shot gun.

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"Wishful to speak to me?" jauntily inquired young Mr. Hopper. "You ain't turned road agent, Deacon?"

The Deacon cleared his throat. "It's a sin and disgrace you ain't married. You're the oldest young man in Four Corners, and all the others is waitin' for you to give 'em a lead. Yet you come sailing along this yer road night arter night, and shuffles by like a ground-hog, without raisin' your eyes to all these yer fair young flowers," he added, with a touch of parental poesy. "Which one is it?"

"Ain't you takin' it too much for settled?" asked young Mr. Hopper.

"I'm a man of few words," Tollevents raised his gun carelessly to the level. "Here's nine gals all of a row. Which is it?"

Mr. Hopper bowed gracefully to the young ladies on the veranda. "Any one of 'em? I ain't worthy of it, Deacon."

"Any one of 'em. You ain't worthy, but it's the best I can do for 'em," said the Deacon, firmly.

"Which?"

They were girls whose beauty would have gladdened the hearts of an anachorite.

Young Mr. Hopper surveyed them carefully, then turned to Tollevents. "See here," he said, severely. "Ain't you 'shamed of yourself, Deacon, to go puttin' such a slight on 'em? If I married one, what will the eight others do?"

"You leave that to me. Which?" ominously repeated the deacon. "Tain't no business of yours."

Young Mr. Hopper walked down the veranda, feeling that Tollevents' gun covered his manly back. "Can't I go home and think it over?" he asked, when he had come to the end of the row.

"You can go home, and take a load of buckshot with you. If that 'll help you to think," said Tollevents.

Young Mr. Hopper came back to the top of the row, then shook his head. "They're all too much alike. I'd git mixed up and never know t'other from which. Tain't fair, Deacon."

"I don't want to shoot you in a hurry," said the Deacon. "No one can say I ain't a just, reasonable, tender-hearted, God-fearing, help-my-neighbor kind of man. Tain't my fault they're all alike; but you've got to take one of 'em."

Young Mr. Hopper shook his head. "Can't be done. I don't mind marryin', but I can't get mixed up like this. It's wuss'n bigamy."

Tollevents took deliberate aim at him. "I'm sorry to have to do it," he said, gently, "and your mother, bein' a widder, 'll curse me for removing my neighbor's landmark, so to speak; but I've got to make an example of you."

There was a wild shriek as Selina threw herself between them. "Guess you'll have to hit me first," she cried, choking with laughter and tears. "You—you can't go wastin' young men like this, Dad."

"Stop a minute," said Mr. Hopper, with affected deliberation. "How dare you try such a put-up job on me?"

"I—I don't understand," faltered Tollevents, confused by this sudden attack.

"Why you might ha' known that a shay man like me couldn't make up his mind with nine gals all 'zactly alike. This settles it. Here's a dark one. I'll take her."

There was a chorus of "Oh!" from the veranda. Tollevents looked irresolute, for Selina was his favorite. "It's beginnin' at the wrong end," he said, doubtfully.

"Don't you worry about that. Any-way, it's a beginning," urged young Mr. Hopper. "That's all you've got to do, 'cept put down that gun. It might go off; and the Coroner's a friend o' mine. He'd say things. Now you can take off your store clothes, and make yourself comfortable, father-in-law that is to be."

Tollevents put down the gun, and young Mr. Hopper, linking Selina's arm in his, strolled along with her to the pines. A bend in the road him went from the house.

Selina could feel him trembling as they wandered along in the odorous dusk.

"You—you do mean it, Selina?" he quavered. "Cause if you don't, he can shoot all he wants to; and I'll be glad of it. I ain't afraid of him; but I am of you."

Selina hesitated. Young Mr. Hopper turned back. "Stop," she called after him in alarm.

"Well?" queried Mr. Hopper. "I knew how it 'ud be. Let him fill me up with—"

"Won't I do instead?" queried Selina.

"What? With buckshot?"

"No. K-kisses!"

And in the blissful silence which ensued a man might have heard his microbes gnaw, so sweet, so pure the

heavenly night, with the great stars shining out, the silent river flowing to the sea, their young hearts beating together.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

## JUGGLING THE ALPHABET.

## Many Have Tried to Form a Sentence with Only Its 26 Letters.

Many attempts have been made by ingenious writers to put the whole alphabet in a single sentence without duplication of letters, according to a writer in the Housekeeper.

Prof. De Morgan, the famous mathematician, tried to juggle the alphabet into one sentence, each letter being used but once. After many fruitless attempts he decided to compromise by regarding u and v as the same letter. Then his final accomplishment read as follows:

"I quart pyx, who fling muck beds."

At first he did not appreciate the full significance of his accomplishment. "At least," he says, "I happened to be reading a religious writer, who threw aspersions on his opponents thick and threefold. 'Heyday!' came into my head, this fellow flings muck beds. He must be a 'quart pyx.'

"Then I remembered that a pyx is a sacred vessel and quartz is a hard stone, as hard as the heart of a religious foe curser. So that the line is the motto of a ferocious sectarian, who turns his religious vessels into muck holders for the benefit of those who will not see what he sees."

The professor awarded the palm of the competition to this last sentence. "It is good advice," he explains, "to a young man, very well expressed under the circumstances. In more sober English it would be 'Marry, be cheerful, watch your business.'"

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Even when the duplication of letters is permitted the crowding of the entire alphabet into a single coherent sentence is not an easy task, and such examples as "John T. Brady gave me a black walnut box of quite small size," which is perhaps the best known, are neither numerous nor important.

There is one verse in the Bible which contains all the letters of the alphabet except j; this is the twenty-first verse of the seventh chapter of Ezra, and as the verse contains some forty words the collocation is only noteworthy because it occurred without previous design.

None of the examples here given is perhaps as good as that recently quoted in the Sun: "Pack my box with five dozen liquor jugs." This contains the entire alphabet, is a perfectly coherent sentence and has only thirty-two letters in comparison with forty-seven letters in the "John T. Brady" example. So it would seem to hold the palm.

## REDI'S EXPERIMENT.

## Out of It Grew the Great Fabric of the Germ Theory.

It was a fixed belief of the ancients that many living creatures could come into existence in a spontaneous fashion, to which allusion has often been made. The true beginning of the germ theory arose out of a ludicrously simple observation made by Redi, a Florentine physician, about the middle of the seventeenth century. He debated with his conferees in Florence the question of the origin of the maggots appearing in decomposing meat. The old view held, of course, that the maggots were bred within dead and putrefying substances. Redi, taking a piece of meat, covered the mouth of the jar in which it was contained with a piece of fine gauze. He beheld the flesh flies, attracted by the smell of the decaying meat, coming to deposit their eggs, after the manner of their kind, in the decomposing substance. The gauze, however, kept them from effecting this natural object, with the result that the eggs were laid on the surface of the gauze and the maggots there hatched out, while the decay of the meat went on uninterruptedly without a single maggot appearing in its substance.

On this childishly simple experiment the great fabric of the germ theory of to-day was founded, for if the law of universal parentage applied to the case of maggots and meat it was clear, argued Redi, that it must apply universally. Subsequent experimentation proved the words to be true, and so to-day, when our attention is focused upon germs or microbes so minute that we might accommodate many hundreds of thousands of them on the surface of a postage stamp, we again come face to face with Redi's first principle that each germ could only have sprung from a preceding and parental organism.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Breaking It Gently.

Of Sabbath-breaking north of the Tweed, says a writer in the London Chronicle, there is the story of the Scot and his wheelbarrow, which has been fathered upon Sir Archibald Geikie. Donald was hammering away at the bottom of his barrow when his wife came to the door.

"Mon," she said, "you're making much clutter. What wull the neebours say?"

"Never mind the neebours," said the busy one. "I maun get ma barra mendit."

"Oh, but Donald, it's vera wrang to work on Sawbath!" expostulated the good wife. "Ye ought to use screws."

"What! With buckshot?"

"No. K-kisses!"

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**Government Homesteads.** One and one-half million acres of farming and grazing land will be opened for settlement in the Cheyenne River and Standing Rock Indian Reservation October 4th to 23d. Fast daily through trains direct to Pierre and Aberdeen, S. D., the registration points, via the Chicago & Northwestern Ry. Write for descriptive pamphlets, giving maps and full particulars, to W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., C. & N. W. Ry., Chicago, Ill.

**Tooe Cute.** "Algy, isn't there something resting on your mind?" "Aw, come now, Miss Cuttling. You want me to say yes, so you can crush me with the remark, 'Why, how can it find a place to rest on anything so small!'"

Michael Angelo, during the most part of his life, lived plainly on the food of an Italian peasant.

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MRS. L. M. GERS, 342 52nd St. Brooklyn, N. Y., March 7, 1902.

**Worth Its Weight in Gold.** It's PETTIT'S EYE SALVE, strengthens eyes of the old, tonic for eye strain, weak and watery eyes. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

**Relitigated by Comparison.** The Shah of Persia was asked if a pension of \$25,000 would be satisfactory.

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## Extravagant Living and the Unemployed.

Some of these wealthy people attempt to justify their extravagance on the ground that it gives employment to a great many, says Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine. No greater delusion ever crept into a human brain than that wanton extravagance is justified on the ground that it gives employment for the demoralizing and debauching influence of it all upon those uselessly employed infinitely outweighs any possible good it may do.

It is true that many poor women, girls and children are enabled to eke out a miserable existence by spending years of precious time and energy working upon a piece of lace embroidery, or a thousand-dollar gown to be worn only once or twice by a rich woman. But is there no better destiny for human beings made in God's image than to wear their lives out and ruin their eyesight, as is done in numerous instances, in making that which appeals only to the vanity of women, many of whom, in all their lives, never earned the equivalent to the food which they consume in a single month?

The vulgar flaunting of wealth, which we see on every hand, is a constant suggestion, a perpetual temptation to the poorer classes to strain every nerve to keep up appearances, "to keep up with the procession" at all hazards.

### Cured Hen of Desire to Set.

A Marion (O.) woman has discovered an original practice for breaking hens of the practice of hatching, regardless of ducklings, which is an old-fashioned method of prevention. The woman has such a hen, which she put to set on a nest of two china eggs and an ordinary alarm clock with the alarm set. When the alarm went off, the hen came off the nest with a clatter and shrieking that disturbed the entire neighborhood. The hen has not been near the nest since.

### OPENING OF THE STANDING ROCK AND CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

The opening of the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Indian Reservations in South Dakota and North Dakota in October will give thousands of people 160 acres of fertile farming lands for small sum per acre.

Aberdeen, South Dakota, on the CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY, and Mobridge and Lemmon, South Dakota, on the CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & PUGET SOUND RAILWAY, are points of registration. You can register any day from Oct. 4 to 23. The drawing will take place at Aberdeen on October 26.

This land opening will also give you a splendid opportunity to see the country via the new line to the Pacific Coast.

Descriptive folder free.

F. A. MILLER, General Passenger Agent Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, Chicago.

### Severe.

Samuel Gompers was talking in the smoke room of the Baltic about a recent newspaper attack on a rich corporation.

"It was a cruel attack," Mr. Gompers chuckled. "It was as cruel as the Jonesville Clarion's paragraph about old Deacon Hiram Ludlow. This paragraph headed the Clarion's obituary column. It said:

"Deacon Hiram Ludlow of Frisbie Township, aged 82, passed peacefully away, on Thursday last, from single blessedness to matrimonial bliss, after a short but severe attack by Maria Higgins, a blooming widow of 37 summers."

### The Pontiac Wear-Well Shoes.

In another column of this paper is the announcement of The Pontiac Wear-Well Shoes for Women, Misses and Children. These shoes are made by the old and reliable Pontiac Shoe Manufacturing Company, Pontiac, Illinois. The owners of this shoe factory are its own managers, who oversee everything in the construction of the shoes from the smallest detail until the finished product is on the market. The greatest care is exercised in the selection of leather and other material entering into the construction of the shoes, while in style and finish they are up-to-date in every respect.

### Not Specific Enough.

Witness—At the time of the accident my husband was in my boudoir arranging my hair.

Lawyer—Yes; and where were you?

Witness—Sir!—Boston Transcript.

Very simply.

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**PUTNAM FADELESS DYES**

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## GOOD SHORT STORIES

The Seeing New York automobile was moving through the financial district. "This is Wall street," announced the man with the megaphone. "Keep your hand on your purse, Hiram!" hoarsely whispered a lady from the open country to her husband.

The man with the glassy eye and supernaturally solemn demeanor put down sovereign at the booking office at Charing Cross and demanded a ticket. "What station?" snapped the booking clerk. The would-be traveler scolded himself. "What stations have you?" he asked with quiet dignity.

The young Oriental understood ordinary methods and occurrences very well in his new California abiding place, but occasionally found a puzzle. "Japanese boy pretty smart when he can speak American in a year," he said, "but Missouri boy he speak good after he has been here only six months."

A Philadelphian who was formerly a resident of a town in the north of Pennsylvania recently revisited his old home. "What became of the Hoover family?" he asked an old friend. "Oh," answered the latter, "Tom Hoover did very well. Got to be an actor out west. Bill, the other brother, is something of an artist in New York; and Mary, the sister, is doing literary work. But John never amounted to much. It took all he could lay his hands on to support the others."

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One Sunday morning Mr. Moody, the revivalist, entered a Chicago drug store, distributing tracts. At the back of the store sat an elderly and distinguished citizen reading a morning newspaper. Mr. Moody approached this gentleman and threw one of the temperance tracts upon the paper before him. The old gentleman glanced at the tract, and then, looking up benignly at Moody, asked: "Are you a reformed drunkard?" "No, sir, I am not!" cried Moody, drawing back indignantly. "Then why don't you reform?" quietly asked the old gentleman.

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Our many years' experience in the shoe manufacturing business, together with our wonderful facilities, have enabled us to make a big saving in the cost of producing these shoes.

By offering the public an opportunity to benefit by the saving, we increase the sale of our Wear-Well Shoes, and thereby decrease the cost of manufacture. That's why we can afford to make such a liberal offer.

Write today and we will tell you the name of the nearest dealer handling Pontiac Wear-Well Shoes.

"Fine bird," I said.

"Yes, sir; fine bird," and he went on working.

"Enjoy eating him, Thurber?"

"He waited a minute, and then he said, 'Well, sir, I guess they didn't cook him right at my house. They only cooked him two days,' and he went on working without cracking a smile."

**The Fatal Toot.**

First Farmer (pointing to the flaring horn of an automobile)—What's that thing for?

Second Farmer—That's the thing they blow jes' before they run y'down!

—Town and Country.

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By Boiling Grease—Skin All Came Off One Side of Face and Head—Thought Her Disfigured for Life—Used Cuticura—No Scar Left.

"My baby was sitting beside the fender and we were preparing the breakfast when the frying-pan full of boiling grease was upset and it went all over one side of her face and head. Some one wiped the scald with a towel, pulling the entire skin off. We took her to a doctor. He tended her a week and gave me some stuff to put on. But it all festered and I thought the baby was disfigured for life. I used about three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it was wonderful how it healed. In about five weeks it was better and there wasn't a mark to tell where the scald had been. Her skin is just like velvet. Mrs. Hare, 1, Henry St., South Shields, Durham, Eng., March 22, 1908." Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props. of Cuticura Remedies, Boston.

**A Deal That Fell Through.** "Baron Fewcawsh was rather exacting as to the dot."

"That wasn't what broke the engagement," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I don't object to seeing a young man look out for his interests. But when he applied for a cash advance in order to buy an engagement ring, I must say it struck me as unbusinesslike."

## FREE LANDS IN WYOMING.

**Chicago & Northwestern Railway.**

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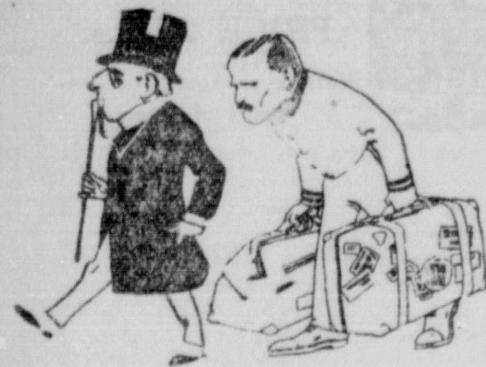
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### Improvements.

The plasterers were at work today on Dr. J. M. Shields' new office and will soon have their part of the work done.

Mrs. H. C. Whitmer has begun a new residence on Third street next to the alley on the lot at the rear of the Whitmer Medicine Company building. Contractor Kindig is doing the work and has a good force of men employed. This will be a modern residence and close to the business district.

Manuel Tatlock has moved into his new residence in the Peter's addition on Central avenue.

The frame work on the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Baird in West Seymour will soon be completed.

### Charlestown Salaries.

The village of Charlestown, a pretty little town in Clark county and one of the oldest settlements in the state, sets an example in the way of salaries. The town councilmen there receive one dollar each per year. The president of the Board (the mayor) gets a salary of one dollar a year. The Clerk gets \$30 a year, the treasurer \$30 a year, the town marshall \$20 a month and members of the school board one dollar each per year. And at these salaries Charlestown claims to have good men in office.

### Tom Has An Auto.

Thomas Arbuckle, a prominent attorney of Rushville, Sanford Arbuckle and wife and Mrs. Susanna Arbuckle, of Manilla, Ind., visited A. S. Arbuckle and family Sunday. They made the trip in the splendid auto of the first named gentleman and while here took the host and family for a run to Hartsville and around that neighborhood.

This was the first time the relatives here had seen them for many years and a delightful day was spent together.—Hope Star.

### Good Investment.

To men of moderate means as well as to men of large means, the Cooperative Building and Loan Association offers another of its splendid investment opportunities. Its next series of stock, Series T, will open on Monday Oct. 4th, and already many persons are inquiring of the Secretary, Thos. J. Clark about the stock. The steady growth of the business of this Association during the years of its history is the best evidence that it serves well the people in this community, and that it meets a real need. It offers to the person who can save twenty-five cents per week, or any multiple of this amount each week, the opportunity to place the money in these small weekly sums where the savings begin to draw interest from the very start. A person may lay away the same amount privately each week, if he would, but would not have the advantage of the interest which accumulates through the Cooperative.

The Association takes the accumulated savings and loans them at once on first mortgage on real estate, the safest sort of investment, and then each quarter distributes the earnings among the stockholders, giving to each shareholder the same advantage that a large capitalist has, in proportion to the amount of his stock. If you want a good, safe, profitable investment, see the secretary, Thos. J. Clark, Opera House Block, at once and take some stock in Series T.

### Republican Primary.

Notice is hereby given to the Republicans of the city of Seymour, Indiana, that on the 28th day of September, 1909, the Republican party will hold a primary election in said city of Seymour, for the purpose of nominating candidates for city offices. The candidates to be voted for are as follows:

Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer, two councilmen at large and one councilman from each ward in said city.

The polls will be open between the hours of one p. m. and eight p. m. on said day. There will be one polling place in each ward. Laws governing general election, will govern said primary election. All persons desiring to be voted for as candidates at said

primary must hand their names to the Republican city committee on or before Sept. 25-'09.

All persons desiring to affiliate with the Republican party are requested to vote at said primary.

JNO. M. LEWIS, City Chairman.

E. A. REMY, Secy.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrah that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrah Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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### TERSE TELEGRAMS

Two unknown negroes were killed by posse in a man-hunt near Sandy Point, Tex.

Business failures for the week were 198, against 191 last week and 266 in the like week of 1908.

The world's trotting record for years was broken at Lexington, Ky., by Miss Stokes, who made the mile in 2:19 1/4.

Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows a total of 1,974,000, against 1,885,152 last week.

Louis E. Pierson of New York was elected president of the American Bankers association. F. O. Watts of Nashville, Tenn., was named as first vice president.

Prof. William Thayer Smith, dean of the Dartmouth Medical school and widely known as an author of medical textbooks, is dead at the age of seventy-one years.

In spite of prevailing high prices the volume of trade continues not only largely in excess of last year, but is even approximating the records of 1907, says Dun's review.

### Promises to Pay Depositors.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 18.—The First National bank of Burnside, Ky., has closed its doors and National Bank Examiner Johnson has taken charge. The bank has \$25,000 capital stock. Overloans and some unfortunate business deals are said to be the causes of the failure. C. W. Stewart is the president of the bank. He is also the head of the Huntington (W. Va.) Produce and Seed company, which he said would be sold and the proceeds used to pay depositors in the bank.

### The Police Interfered.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 18.—The McGann-Klaus sour bout before the National Athletic club here, scheduled to go six rounds, was stopped in the middle of the third round last night by the police after McGann had been repeatedly warned not to strike low.

### Child Killed by Train.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 18.—A Grand Trunk flyer ran down Tillman Hoffman, four years old, at Division street. He died a few minutes after being removed to the Haworth hospital.

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